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Fulfillment of Various Chemical Plants

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The following table gives figures on 1953 planned production and on actual production during the first quarter of 1953 of various East German chemical plants under the Hauptverwaltung Schwerchemie, State Secretariat for Chemistry, which are engaged in the production of sulphuric acid, sulphates, superphosphates, potashes and allied products:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Planned Production 1953</u>	<u>Actual Production First Quarter 1953</u>
<u>VLE Pottaschefabrik Neustassfurt</u>			
Potashes	tons	3,250.0	1,222.8
Potassium bicarbonicum (Potassium bicarbonate)	tons	250.0	68.7
Potassium sulfato	tons	800.0	372.1
Potassium chlorate	tons	"	"
Electric power	million kw. hours	8.2	2.169

VGB Gluehphosphatwerk Ruedersdorf b/Berlin

Magnesium phosphate	tons $P_2O_5$	14,000.0	1,831.9
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## VGB Schwefelsäure- und Superphosphatwerk Coswig

Sulphuric acid	tons	51,200.0	13,309.829
Super phosphates without phosphorus	tons	7,500.0	661.390
Super phosphates with phosphorus	tons	7,500.0	3,666.177
Super phosphates granulated	tons	500.0	130.536
Sodium fluosilicate	tons	150.0	79.951
Glycerine	kilograms	180,000.0	70,250.000
Iron sulphate crystallized	kilograms	173,000.0	56,565.000
Iron sulphate dried	kilograms	18,000.0	5,150.000

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VEB Schwefelsaure-und Superphosphatwerk Salzwedel

Superphosphates	tons $P_2O_5$	11,500	1,990
Sodium fluosilicate	tons	50	21

VEB Schwefelsaure-und Metznatronwerk Ikenitz

$SO_2$ from pyrite	tons	14,870	3,341
$SO_2$ from magnesium sulphate	tons	20,600	3,132
$SO_2$ from sulphur	tons	11,500	1,055
Sodium hydroxide	tons	8,400	2,190
Hydrochloric acid 100 %	tons	5,340	1,502
Chlorosulfonic acid	tons	1,840	-
Pyrite Abbrand (Anfall) <sup>1</sup>	tons	10,500	2,088
Magnesium oxide Abbrand (Anfall)	tons	10,300	1,520
Pyrite Abbrand (Versand)	tons	46,000	8,825
Magnesium oxide Abbrand (Versand) <sup>2</sup>	tons	3,000	516

VEB Bleicherdewerk Tannenberg

Fuller's earth	tons	5,000	1,196,835
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1. Yield.
2. Outgoing.

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